

OPPOSE CAMDEN.

The Legislative Committee of the Trades Assembly

PROTEST AGAINST HIS ELECTION

To the United States Senate and Notify the Members

FROM THIS COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

Legislation in the Interest of Organized Labor to be Asked at the Hands of the Legislature now in Session—Two Bills Already Submitted and Two Others in Course of Preparation—An Eight-Hour Day Desired, with Protection for Youth and Prohibition of Plunkertonism.

A fruitful and interesting meeting of the legislative committee for Ohio county of the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly held at the assembly's hall on Sunday, and for some reason the very interesting proceedings were kept from the public.

Yesterday a reporter secured a suggestion of the character of the proceedings, and called on Mr. Roman Dobler, of the committee, to confirm the rumor he had heard.

Mr. Dobler said, in response to questions, that the committee had taken decided action in view of the present senatorial situation at Charleston. Resolutions were adopted protesting against the election of Hon. J. N. Camden and requesting the members of the house of delegates from Ohio county and the state senators from the first district to vote against him and do all possible by honorable means to defeat his election.

This action was based mainly on Mr. Camden's connection with the Monongah Coal Company, which has twice been boycotted by the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly as a non-union concern, and as Mr. Dobler and others expressed it, "also on Mr. Camden's well-known record as an opponent of the rights of organized labor and the laboring classes generally."

Notice of this action is understood to have been sent to Charleston to the members from this county and district at once.

In addition to this action, the committee considered several measures of interest to labor. A bill providing that eight hours shall constitute a legal day's work had been drawn up, approved by the committee, and pronounced legal in form and provisions by a well known attorney. This was forwarded to Delegate Imhoff to be presented in the house, together with a bill prohibiting the discharge of workmen because they belong to a labor union.

This law, if enacted, members of the committee say, will not entirely remedy the evil aimed at, but it will be a step in the right direction, and can do no harm. It would at least prevent in West Virginia such wholesale discharges for the avowed reason that the employees were union men as have been recently made by railroads in other states.

A bill is now under consideration, which the committee expects to send to Mr. Imhoff, which provides a system of factory inspection, and prohibits under severe penalties the employment of children under sixteen years in factories or shops. Another bill to be submitted to the legislature prohibits the introduction or use of what is known as "pinkertons," in West Virginia. It is said to be a sweeping measure with severe penalties.

FUNERAL OF DR. BATES.

An Impressive and Sad Occasion Yesterday Afternoon.

A large concourse of sorrowing friends attended the public funeral services of the late Dr. W. J. Bates, sr., which took place at the family residence on Twelfth street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Most of the leading physicians and a large number of prominent citizens of this city were present to pay a last loving tribute to the man who was held in such high esteem and respect by all classes. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. Cunningham, of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. H. Cooke, of the Second Presbyterian church, and Rev. J. A. Fullerton, of the Zane street M. E. church.

The many handsome floral tributes left by friends added beauty to the services, which were very impressive. Dr. Cunningham's remarks on the many virtues of the deceased through life were very touching and eloquently eulogistic.

At the conclusion of the services Wheeling Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar, took charge of the remains of their late brother, who was a prominent knight and the beautiful burial services of the order were performed. Sir Knight Archie T. Hupp officiating. Sir Knight R. Rush Swope acted as prelate.

As soon as the ceremonies were concluded the casket was borne to the funeral car by members of the order. The pall bearers were Sir Knights Alfred Pannell, A. J. Sweeney, W. A. Wilson, Jacob W. Grubb, R. Heber East, Dr. John W. Morris, Stephen Waterhouse and Colonel Robert White. The cortege then moved to Greenwood cemetery, where the remains were laid to rest. The remains were escorted by a large body of knights, who marched to a funeral dirge played by the Opera House band. At the Wheeling & Elm Grove office a special train was provided for the knights and the medical profession who went out in a body to attend the last rites of a beloved brother.

Funeral of Dr. Cook.

The funeral of Dr. John Cook, of Bridgeport, occurred yesterday afternoon at his late residence, the services being conducted by Rev. Stephens, of the Presbyterian church. The funeral was the largest ever seen in Bridgeport. The services were brief, though very impressive. The interment was at Linwood cemetery.

Funeral of Rev. L. L. Stewart.

The remains of Rev. L. L. Stewart, presiding elder of the Parkersburg district, M. E. church, and who died at his home at Williamsport Sunday, were laid to rest at Mountaineer yesterday. The funeral services were held at the Simpson M. E. church, of which he was pastor from 1885 to 1889. Remarks were made by Revs. A. J. Lyda, D. E. Hammond, A. Miek, F. N. Lynch and G. W. Grimes.

Deceased leaves a wife and three children. It is understood that the family will return to Mountaineer to reside. The funeral was very largely attended.

Blow, blow, blow! That disagreeable catarrh can be cured by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the constitutional remedy.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and about the City.

There was nothing up in police court yesterday morning.

Opera House this evening—George Kennan's lecture for the Press Club.

South Side young people will give a ball to-night at Cyclers' hall, Jacob street.

The attraction at the Grand this evening will be the big "Uncle Tom's Cabin" show again.

The Wheeling Cyclers will give a ball at their hall on Jacob street, South Side, next Monday night.

During the present cold spell hay and straw are being used in the electric cars, as a preventative of cold feet.

On account of shortage of the natural gas supply the Hobbs glass house did not begin operations yesterday morning.

The sale of seats for Charles Frohman's company in "Men and Women" opens at House's music store this morning.

The O. W. L. Club will have its annual election of officers and attend to other important business at the meeting to be held next Thursday evening.

This overcoat, thief, George Conners, was up before Justice George Arkle yesterday. He confessed having taken Vaas's overcoat, and in default of \$500 bond went to jail, to appear at next term of circuit court.

Charles Connolly, the young man who demolished the big mirror in Wilhelm's saloon Sunday morning, was up before Squire Arkle yesterday morning, and in default of \$200 bond went to jail. His examination will occur to-day.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

William Erskine was in Moundsville a few hours yesterday.

Miss Lottie Lewis, of Moundsville, is visiting Wheeling friends.

Hull Quarrier left yesterday on a business trip to New York.

John A. Hutchinson, of Parkersburg, is stopping at the Windsor.

M. Strauss, a glass man, hailing from Louisville, is in the city on business.

Rev. J. F. Chenoweth, of the North street M. E. church, is recovering from a critical illness.

Rev. A. B. Riker is recovering after a severe illness, and will resume his pastoral duties soon.

Louis Whit, of the Bon Ton, walks on air, untroubled by snow drifts or slippery pavements—he is a papa.

William R. Thompson, of Huntington; George S. Hammett and W. H. Sheets, of Salana, registered at the Windsor yesterday.

S. G. Carner, of Sistersville, S. W. Joyce, of Parkersburg, J. E. Miller, of Wellsburg, and Ernest Hayer, of Morgantown, are at the McClure.

George Kennan, the lecturer, who lectures here to-night under the auspices of the Press Club, is expected to arrive this morning from Baltimore.

Mr. Ed. Nelson and wife, of Columbus, Ohio, have arrived in the city to attend the wedding of Mr. Nelson's sister, Lottie, which takes place this evening at the Zane street M. E. church.

We are informed our whole souled friend, Frank C. Gaylord, with Delaplaine & Sons, of Wheeling, will engage in business in Parkersburg in the early spring.—Ravenwood Mountaineer.

Mrs. Dora Hildreth, Mrs. S. L. Hildreth, Mrs. Ellen Caldwell, Misses Jennie Caldwell and Amanda List left yesterday for Los Angeles, California, where the party will spend the winter.

Benjamin Stout, of Clarkburg; A. D. Hopkins, F. William Kane and D. D. Johnson, of Morgantown; George D. Hoffman and daughter, of Kingwood, and Ben F. Randle, of Buckhannon, were at the Stamm yesterday.

W. L. Armstrong, of Sistersville; C. R. Snodgrass, of Mannington; Jas. M. Poling, of Jackson C. H.; G. W. Crow and Elwood Leaser, of Burton; T. O. McCowan, of Ravenswood, and James Hair, of Fairmont, are the West Virginians at the Behler.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Louis Thomas, of the La Belle Mill, Nearly Killed Yesterday Morning.

About 4 o'clock yesterday morning Louis Thomas, the engineer at the La Belle mill, met with one of the most shocking accidents ever experienced in Wheeling. The circumstances were as follows: The pit around the big fly wheel during the present cold weather is kept half full of hot water. Thomas went down a ladder to examine some of the machinery, when the ladder slipped, throwing him into the scalding hot water, and before he could extricate himself with the help of the employees he was burned in a terrible manner from his neck to his heels. His clothes were taken off and the skin and flesh was in such a condition that it fell off his body. He was wrapped up in other clothes and early in the morning taken to his home.

Though it is possible that he may recover it is not probable. The unfortunate man, after suffering intense pain throughout yesterday, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

Another "Uncle Tom."

On Wednesday Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company will be at the Wheeling Opera House. Of it the Wilmington News says:

Stetson's combination played "Uncle Tom's Cabin" to full houses yesterday afternoon and evening. They had all the accessories for producing the play in the most approved style, and were highly successful in pleasing their audience. The company will remain at the Opera House to-day, and will give a matinee this afternoon and the regular performance this evening.

At the Grand.

Russell & Christie's Uncle Tom's Cabin company was greeted by a large audience last night, and the show was a big hit. Topsy, Marks, the quartette and Cate all deserve special mention. The big audience left the theatre well satisfied. The theatre should be packed to-night to witness the last performance. Seats at Genther's.

We endorse all the proprietors say about the merits of Salvation Oil. It is the greatest cure on earth for pain. 25 cents.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A DIAMOND ROBBER

Makes a Daring and Foolhardy Attempt Here Yesterday.

THE DARING THIEF CAPTURED

After an Exciting Chase, Participated in by Men and Boys—He Proves to be Fred Morris, of Pittsburgh or Homestead—An Examination Before Justice Arkle—Held for Court.

One of the most daring and foolhardy attempts at diamond robbery ever enacted in this vicinity occurred yesterday afternoon.

About 5 o'clock a man who appeared to be about thirty years old, and well dressed, entered Hebrank's jewelry establishment on Market street, above Fourteenth, and said to the clerk, young Hose, that he wanted to buy a diamond stud. He was shown several, none of which, he said, were big enough, so Hose took two studs out of the case, one valued at \$95 and the other at \$105, both very fine diamonds. After examining them a few seconds and commenting on them, the man suddenly started on a run for the front door, and went down Market street. The clerk at once took in the situation, and got around the counter and out after the daring thief in short order; and as soon as he got out on the street he saw the latter going down Market street on a dead run.

"Stop thief!" cried Hose, going after the man. His peculiar appearance without a hat, and cries attracted the crowd always to be found in busy Market street, and in an instant a score of men and boys were sprinting after the flying thief, who, upon reaching Fourteenth, turned down that thoroughfare to the alley between Pollack's mill and Neill & Ellingham's. Turning down the alley he fled, followed by the howling mob, which got bigger every step taken. Unwary pedestrians were rudely thrown aside in the mad rush. The pursued man proved to be quite a sprinter and was gaining rapidly on his pursuers. He kept on down the alley to Sixteenth, and then dashed over to the Baltimore & Ohio freight yards, where he crept between two freight cars and was seemingly safe, but one of the pursuers, Mike Biedenbach, got within reach and headed him off in the yards, when Officer Leo Buch came up and collared the robber, who, seeing he was overpowered quietly submitted and was taken to police headquarters.

Here he was searched, and several papers found on his person, indicating that his name is Fred Morris and that he lived at Pittsburgh or Homestead.

Shortly before 6 o'clock Morris was taken before Justice George Arkle for a hearing. Seeing he was caught up short, he confessed having attempted the robbery, and was bound over to the next term of circuit court to answer to the charge of grand larceny.

While Justice Arkle was examining the papers found on him, Morris turned to Officer Buch, who was standing near, and said:

"Put up a pretty good sprint, didn't I? Don't believe you could have caught me."

"No, I don't believe I could," said Buch.

The squire on looking over the papers found a number of monthly commutation tickets of the Pennsylvania railroad, good between Homestead and Pittsburgh, also a bill from a Pittsburgh jeweler for a \$130 diamond ring. On discovering the latter, Justice Arkle remarked to Morris that he seemed to have a mania for diamonds.

"Yes," said Morris, "but I didn't have to run for that one."

Among the effects found in his pocket book was a gas bill from the Pittsburgh Low Pressure Gas Company to Fred Morris for \$14. There was also a silver medal won in a regatta at Geneva park, near Pittsburgh.

Morris said he was a bookkeeper, and in connection with the commutation tickets and gas bill, it would seem that he has been working at Homestead and lives at Pittsburgh. The gas bill would seem to indicate that he is a married man. The January railroad ticket was about one-third used so he must be a recent arrival in Wheeling.

Morris was very reticent and would not say why he attempted the robbery at the time of the day when the streets are crowded.

From the direction he ran, it is evident that he was trying to evade his pursuers and get aboard the five o'clock Baltimore & Ohio train which goes north. Had he succeeded in reaching the passenger station a minute or two ahead of his pursuers he could have ascended himself and escaped on the train.

Inspectors Exonerated.

New York, Jan. 16.—The trial of the police officers against whom charges of neglect of duty were made last week by Superintendent Byrnes was begun before the police commissioners this morning. They pleaded not guilty. After the hearing of testimony the commissioners closed the doors and went into secret session. The verdict of the police board, arrived at in an hour, and a half, exonerated the inspectors, because their districts were large and their reliance must be upon their subordinates.

An Indian War Probable.

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO., Jan. 16.—Word has been received here from Cortez, in Southern Colorado, that the Navajo Indians and the prospectors who are flocking into the Carizozo mountains, where gold is found, are preparing for trouble, and without doubt the redskins will go on the war-path this spring and probably sooner. The Indians claim that the prospectors are trespassers, while the latter deny it and are prepared to defend their rights.

Died from a Peculiar Cause.

MONTREAL, Jan. 16.—Arthur Allan, youngest son of the late Sir Hugh Allan, met death by suffocation at an early hour this morning at his rooms at Dorchester street. Investigation showed that he had fallen asleep and had dropped his lighted cigar into a waste paper basket.

Collision in the Fleet.

PARIS, Jan. 16.—The French steamship St. Marie, from Marseilles to Havre, ran down an Italian bark off Villafranca on Saturday during a heavy sleet storm. The bark went down with all her crew of thirteen men.

A Cure for Croup.

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THE KENNAN LECTURE.

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GEORGE KENNAN.

George Kennan, telegraph operator, journalist, explorer and magazine writer, is an unique though brilliant figure in the array of American men of letters. It can be truly said of him that he is a self-made man. Years ago, when he presided over a telegraph instrument in the Western Union office here in Wheeling, he was considered a man of promise, but his now well known and phenomenal career as a successful writer and lecturer was prophesied by no one.

When a fellow American carves out such a career for himself, unaided by family or wealth, it makes the loyal hearts of his countrymen beat with pride, and a hope of emulation.

George Kennan's series of lectures on Siberia and its exile system, and its attendant horrors, delivered in the larger cities of the United States since his return from the land of the Midnight Sun some three years ago, have caused such an upheaval and change of public opinion as has not been experienced in America since Harriet Beecher Stowe wrote her great masterpiece. Not alone in America did the news of Kennan's disclosures go, but to all civilized countries, arousing such a world wide burst of indignation, that the czar of the Russias prohibited the *Century Magazine*, to which Kennan was then contributing, from entering his domains.

Mr. Kennan appears at the Opera House to-night under the auspices of and for the benefit of the Wheeling Press club, and will deliver with impersonations, what many critics consider to be his best lecture "The Convict Mines of Eastern Siberia." The disclosures made by Kennan in his series of articles in the *Century* were realistic enough, but the lecture with its attendant impersonations and dances will be much more interesting.

Mr. Kennan will arrive in the city this morning from Baltimore, where he lectured to a great audience Saturday night.

A few good seats are still available at House's music store.

Smallpox at Akron.

AKRON, O., Jan. 16.—Within the past ten days thousands of people in this city and vicinity have been vaccinated, and the rush for the safeguard was given another impetus to-day by the development of two new cases of smallpox. Secretary Probst, of the state board of health, is still here working with the local authorities. There are twenty well developed cases of the disease in the city to-night.

DIED.

KALTENBACH—On Sunday, January 15, 1893, at 4 o'clock p. m., Archie, son of George and Elizabeth Kaltenbach, aged 10 months and 8 days.

Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 1122 Baltimore street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Calvary cemetery.

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